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SUBJECT: NOTIFICATION OF INVESTIGATION ON POLYCARBONATE RESIN
ANTI-DUMPING CASE

1. Post received on November 7, a letter dated August 10, 2005, from the Department of Trade Defense of the Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade notifying the USG that it plans to proceed with an anti-dumping investigation on polycarbonate resins in powder, flake, granulated or pellet form, at a fluidity index between 1.0 and 59.9g/10min. Originals will be filed at Post.

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MINISTRY OF DEVELOPMENT, INDUSTRY AND FOREIGN TRADE
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DEPARTMENT OF TRADE DEFENSE

Note no. DECOM/CGIN 05/492

Brasilia, August 10, 2005

I refer to the petition filed by the Policarbonatos do Brasil S.A. company, requesting a dumping investigation to determine damage and causal connection on exports to Brazil of polycarbonate resins in powder, flake, granulated or pellet form, at a fluidity index between 1.0 and 59.9g/10min, originating from Argentina, the United States of America and the European Union, proceeding no. MDIC/SECEX 52100.0234415/2004-69.

In accordance with Article 21 of Decree no. 1602 of August 23, 1995, please be notified that the Secretary of Foreign Trade of the Ministry of Development, Industry and Foreign Trade, decided to initiate an investigation; see Circular SECEX no. 49, of August 5, 2005, published in the Diario Oficial da Uniao on August 9, 2005. We are attaching a copy, in accordance with art. 61 of this decree.

Attached is a copy of the complete text of the above-referenced petition, per paragraph 4 of art. 21 of the cited decree.

Pursuant to art. 27 of Decree 1602 of 1995, please be informed that questionnaires will be sent opportunely to the following U.S. producers and exporters: Bayer Material Science LLC, Clariant Masterbatches Division, Donnelly Custom Manufacturing Company, DSM Engineering Plastics, Inc., General Electric Plastics B.V., LNP Engineering Plastics, Maxi Blast Inc., Perlos Inc. and Trelleborg Dowty Malta.

(signed Luiz Raimundo de Souza Fernandes)
Acting Director of DECOM
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